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SHOOTDOWN OF AN F44 AIRCRAFT REPORTED

NORTHERN FLT HQTRS, BAI CHAY IN AN ENEMY ACTIVITY

REPORT FOR 14 AND 15 MAR TO ALL UNITS STATED THE

FOL THE ENEMY BOMBED THE HO BRIDGE (UNLOC). IN TINH

GIA (DISTRICT 19-25N 105-45E). THE ARMY AND THE PEOPLE

OF TINH GIA SHOT DOWN ONE F44. THE PILOT PARACHUTED

INTO THE SEA AND WHEN A SEAPLANE ARRIVED FOR RESCUE,

IT WAS DESTROYED BY GROUND ARTILLERY. DURING THE RESCUE

OPERATIONS TWO DESTROYERS WERE HOMBARDING THE VILLAGES

ALONG THE COAST OF TINH GIA. OUR ARTILLERY FIERCELY

RETURNED THEIR FIRE

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